IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: S. Bausch
NOBUKO YAMAMOTO ET AL.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 10/608,804)	•
		:	Confirmation No. 2559
Filed: June 30, 2003)	
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For:	METHOD FOR EXAMINING)	
	REACTIVITY AND METHOD	:	
	FOR DETECTING A COMPLEX)	January 8, 2009

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

A. <u>Introductory Comments</u>

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 30, 2008, submitted herewith is the corrected "Claims" section of the Amendment filed October 2, 2008, which fully complies with the requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.